HOUSE BILL 601

By Hodges

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4, relative to medical marijuana.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-418, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

Notwithstanding this section to the contrary and in accordance with Article IV, Section 1 of the United States Constitution, which guarantees full faith and credit protections, it is not an offense for a person who holds a valid medical marijuana patient identification card issued by another state to possess an amount of marijuana not in excess of one-half (1/2) ounce (14.175 grams).

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.